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Application No. : 10/698917 Confirmation No. 2995
Applicant : Noriaki Ogawa et al.
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Title : METHOD OF JOINING RUBBER MAGNET TO YOKE
Docket No. : NIS-15065
Customer No. : 40854

AMENDMENT "A"

(In response to Paper No. 20050204)

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This amendment is filed in response to the Office action dated February 9, 2005. The three month period for responding to the Office action expires on May 9, 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper, and include attached replacement sheets and annotated sheets showing changes.
- **Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 3 of this paper.

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